

CSWC Operational Period Summary 1800 July 26 2014 to 0600 July 27 2014



Sand Fire, Amador / El Dorado Counties. Photo Credit: Randall Benton, The Sacramento Bee



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SITUATION SUMMARY

Sand Incident, Vegetation Fire, Amador / El Dorado Counties (Update)

East of Hwy 49, Amador / El Dorado County Line, 5 miles north of Plymouth
Per CAL FIRE , Cal OES Duty Officers, and ICS-209 as of 07/27/14 at 0545 hours:
SRA

- 3,800 acres, 35% contained
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- [See Fire Activity Section for detailed information.](#)

El Portal Incident, Vegetation Fire, Mariposa County (Update)

Near Highway 140 and the Community of El Portal, Yosemite National Park
Per CAL FIRE and Cal OES Duty Officers as of 07/27/14 at 0453 hours:
FRA

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HazMat Release, Bridgeport, Mono County (Final)

At 0743 hours on 07/26/14, the California State Warning Center received a Hazardous Materials Spill Report from CHP in Bishop advising that a cargo truck was leaking hazardous materials (sodium hydroxide) on US 395. The release was approximately 30 gallons and a commercial HazMat Team was enroute to provide assistance. A hard road closure was in place on US 395 between SR-182 and SR-270 with traffic being rerouted through Schurz, Nevada, creating a 2 ½ hour delay for travelers.

- US Highway 395 reopened to one lane and the HazMat Team was released as of approximately 1958 hours on 07/26/14. Per CHP, US Highway 395 fully opened to through traffic at approximately 2030 hours on 07/26/14.

“Century Crunch,” Los Angeles International Airport (LAX) (No Change)

Starting Friday night 7/25, the intersection of Century and Aviation Boulevards in Los Angeles City will be closed for 57 hours to allow crews to demolish an old railroad bridge and begin construction of a new Metro station. Century Boulevard is a major access route for Los Angeles International Airport (LAX). The closure is expected to last from 2100 hours Friday until 0600 hours Monday. Local detours are available, but due to the heavy regular traffic flow, delays are expected.

Gilroy Garlic Festival, Santa Clara County (No Change)

The 36th annual Gilroy Garlic Festival will run through 7/27 in Gilroy. It is held at Christmas Hill Park in Gilroy and in years past, over 100,000 people have attended the event. The event will raise money for local charities.

Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought

- SOC / Inland REOC remains activated in support of 2014 Drought

WEATHER

WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION:

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA AND CENTRAL COASTAL AREAS:

Eureka Weather:

A weak disturbance crossing northwest California will bring a slight chance of a thunderstorm to the mountains of Trinity County this afternoon. Otherwise, clouds will cause the temperatures to cool a few degrees inland while weak offshore flow warms the immediate coast by a couple degrees.

San Francisco Weather:

Subtropical moisture will continue to move across the forecast area through Monday and possibly into Tuesday. This will result in periods of mid and high level clouds. There is also a slight chance of isolated light showers or thunderstorms today. Temperatures are forecast to remain near normal or slightly above normal through the week.

CENTRAL CALIFORNIA AND SOUTHERN SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY

Sacramento Weather:

The forecast area will have above normal temperatures through the coming week but there will be a slight cooling trend after Tuesday. Daytime high temperatures in the Central Valley will top 100 degrees through midweek. The Sierra Crest will see a threat of thunderstorms through much of the week with a chance of thunderstorms over the northern mountains Wednesday.

Hanford Weather:

High pressure will remain anchored over the Desert Southwest through the middle of the week. This will result in continued warm temperatures across the forecast area. Southerly flow around the high pressure will bring monsoon moisture increasing the threat of showers or thunderstorms over the Southern Sierra Nevada starting today, and then also possibly spreading into the Sierra Foothills and eastern and southern parts of the San Joaquin Valley by Monday.

WEATHER

WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION:

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA:

Los Angeles Weather:

Monsoonal moisture will bring a slight chance of showers and thunderstorms to the mountains of Santa Barbara and Ventura Counties, and most of Los Angeles County today with a lingering slight chance in the mountains and Antelope Valley Monday. Otherwise, high pressure just to the east of the forecast area will keep temperatures generally above normal through the week. Night through morning low clouds and fog will remain confined to the coastal plain.

Extreme Southwestern California Including Orange, San Diego, Western Riverside and Southwestern San Bernardino Counties:

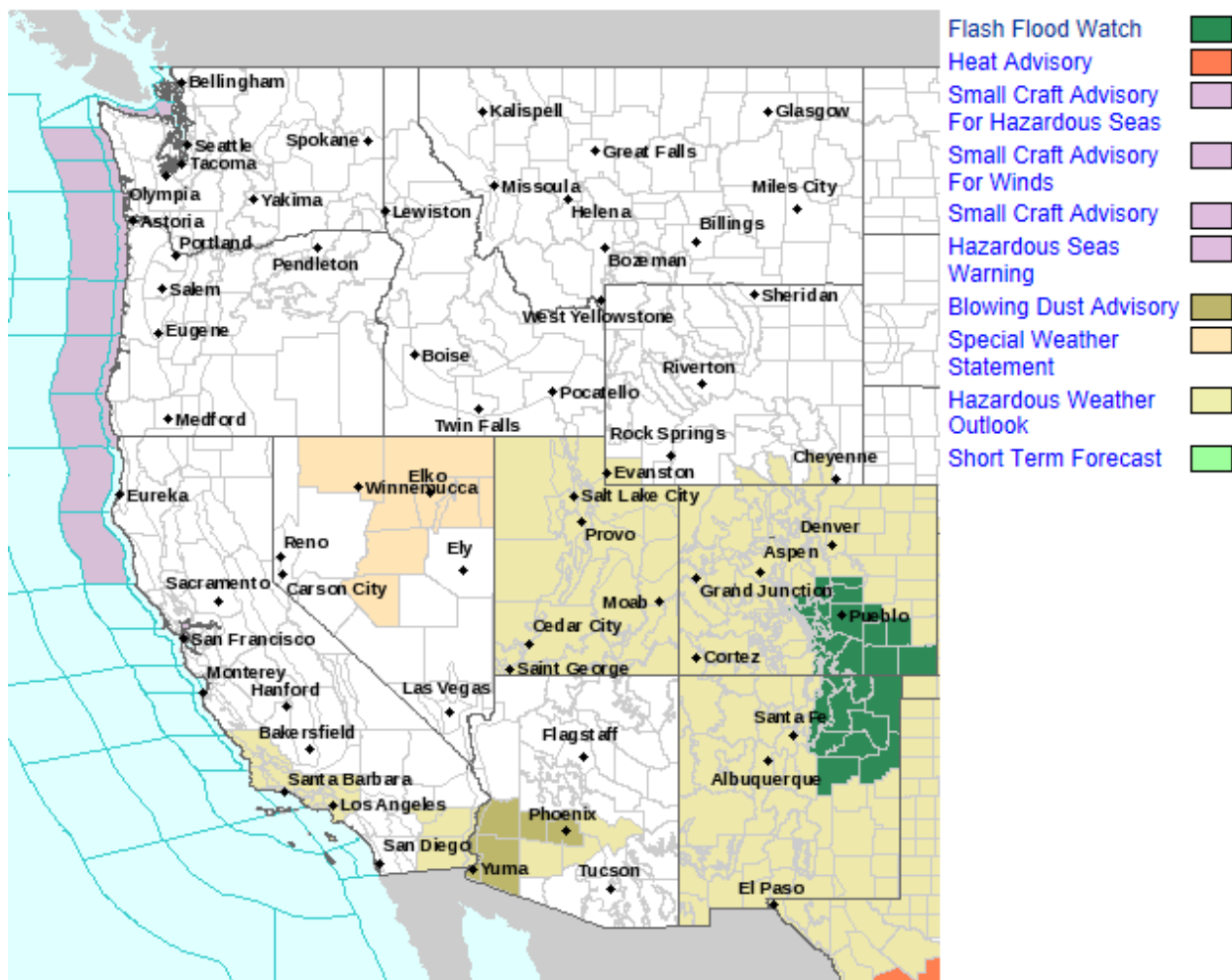
High pressure to the east will continue the northward transport of monsoonal moisture across the forecast area through Monday followed by drying into next weekend. There will continue to be a chance of afternoon and early evening thunderstorms for the mountains and deserts into Monday, with a slight chance of showers and thunderstorms for tonight for most areas as a weak upper level disturbance moves northward across southwestern California. Temperatures near seasonal levels will warm to slightly above seasonal for the latter half of the week. The marine layer and onshore flow bring areas of night and morning low clouds and fog for coastal areas with a slightly shallower marine layer for the latter half of the week.

Southeast California Weather:

An active monsoon pattern appears to be on tap for today as a weak disturbance moves northwestward into Southern Arizona and Southeast California increasing the threat for thunderstorms across the region. Monsoon moisture will then likely remain across the forecast area through the early part of this week with a chance for afternoon and evening showers and thunderstorms each day. Some reduction in monsoon activity is possible by the middle of the week as westerly flow aloft brings somewhat drier air into the region.



STATE WEATHER MAP



Last map update: Jul, 27th 2014 at 6:03:12 am MDT



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FIRE ACTIVITY



Preparedness Levels:

National Preparedness Level 3

Northern California

Preparedness Level 2, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 2

Southern California

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California Fire Potential & Weather Maps

Southern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential

<http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/8>

Northern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential

<http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/10>

California Fire Weather Map Watches and Warnings

<http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/firewx/main.php>

NWS California River Forecast Center:

<http://www.cnrfc.noaa.gov/>

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- VLAT (Very Large Air Tanker) has been assigned
- Threats to single family residences, Commercial Wineries and Vineyards, Local power infrastructure, and Hwy 49
- 49 Local Government Engines and 2 Water Tenders assigned
- CAL FIRE IMT 2 (Patterson) has been activated and will transition today, 7/27/2014, at 1000 hours.
- A Fire Management Assistance Grant (FMAG) was received and has been placed on hold.
- Total Personnel – 1464

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Sand Incident, Vegetation Fire, Amador / El Dorado Counties Cont. (Update)



Emergency Management:

Evacuations/Shelters

- Per El Dorado County OES, there are 477 Mandatory Evacuations and 606 Voluntary Evacuations for a total of 1083 Residences affected.
- Evacuation Area: Sand Ridge Road, Fresh Water, Burlwood, Morales Ranch Road, Vintage Trail, Upton Road, Twin Rivers Road, Vintage Road to Sand ridge Road, Buzzards Gulch Road and all of Buzzards Gulch Road, Riverpine Estates, Vintage Road to Morning Canyon Road , Perry Creek, Fair Play Road and Slug Gulch Road.
- American Red Cross (ARC) shelter - Ponderosa High School located at 3661 Ponderosa Road in Shingle Springs. Shelter Count as of 07/27/14 at 0530 hours – 20
- American Red Cross (ARC) shelter at El Dorado County Fairgrounds - Closed
- Animal Shelter: Amador County Fairgrounds, located at 18621 Sherwood St, Plymouth.

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Road Closures

- Hard closure of Sand Ridge Road

EOC Activations

- El Dorado County EOC - Level 2, as of 0700 hours this morning, 07/27/14.
- Inland REOC - Level 2, as of 0700 hours this morning, 07/27/14. A staffing pattern has been established for the next seven days should a continued activation be needed.
- SOC – Level 2, as of 0700 hours this morning, 07/27/14.

Deployments

- One (1) Cal OES Fire Assistant Chief is assigned to the incident.
- One (1) Cal OES Inland Emergency Services Coordinator assigned to the El Dorado County EOC from 0700-1900 hours on 7/27/14.
- Two Public Safety Communications Radio Technicians have been assigned to the incident.

Health/Medical

- The California Department of Public Health (CDPH), Division of Licensing and Certification (L&C) advises there are currently no licensed health care facilities affected by the fire and will continue to monitor the incident for impacts.

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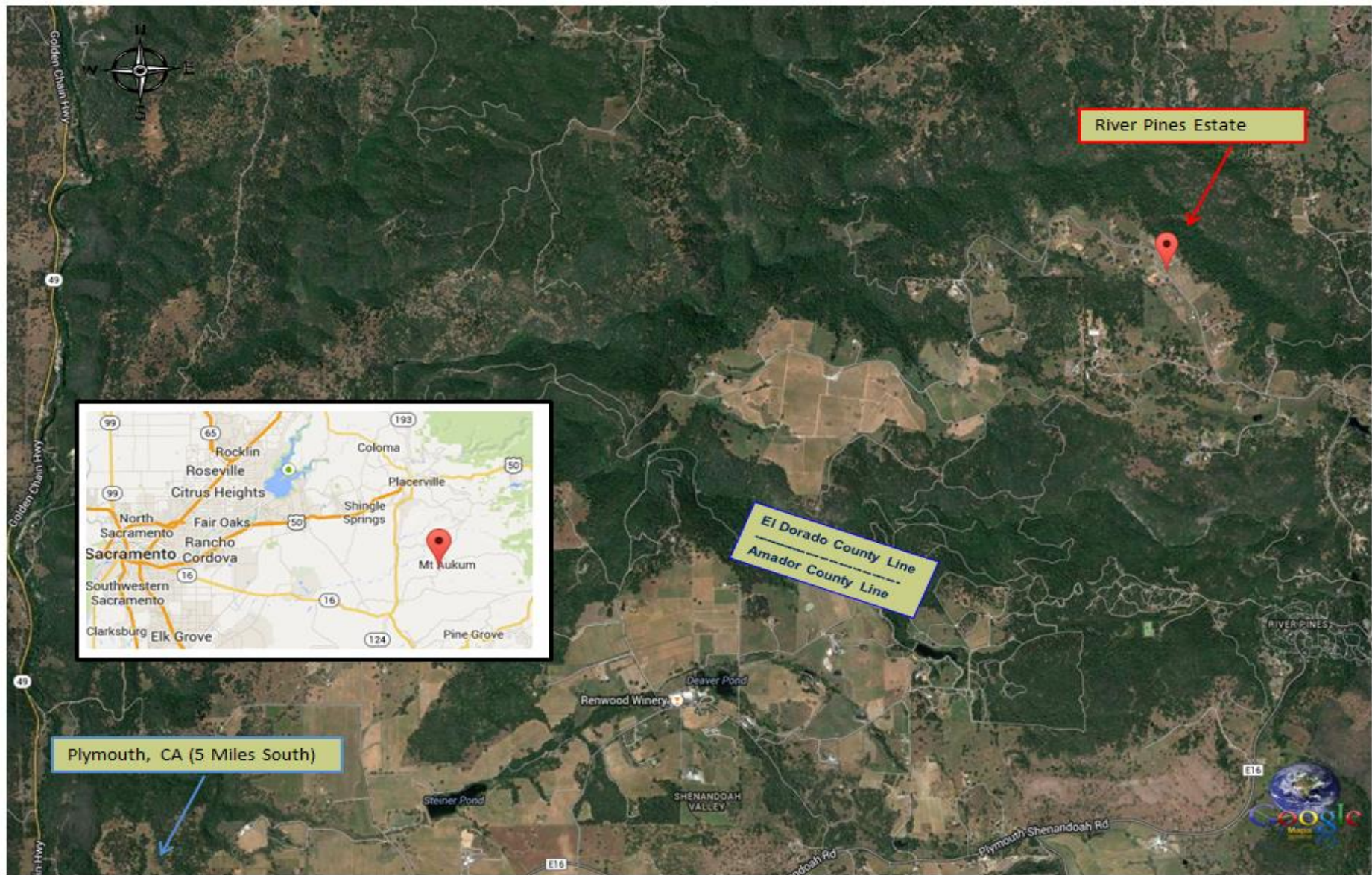
Air Quality

- There are no Air Quality Alerts in effect due to the fire.
- The Air Quality Forecast indicates the “Unhealthy for Sensitive Groups” designation will continue through Tuesday, 7/29.
- Click on Current Conditions to view the latest hourly readings at the Sacramento region's monitoring sites. <http://www.sparetheair.com/aqmaps.cfm>

Mission Tasking

- Mission number 2014-IREOC-4113 has been assigned for El Dorado County Environmental Health requesting three air monitors at the following locations: Diamond Springs Fire Station, El Dorado Fire District, and Pioneer Fire Station.

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- CIIMT Team 5 (Joseph) mobilized with a report date of 07/27/14 at 0800 hours
- Commitment of CAL FIRE Ground and Air Resources
- Total Personnel – 436

Emergency Management:

Evacuations/Shelters

- Mandatory Evacuations issued for the areas of Old El Portal and Foresta.
- American Red Cross Evacuation Center/Shelter - Tanaya Lodge located at 1122 Highway 41, Fish Camp, Mariposa County. Shelter Count as of 07/27/14 at 0530 hours – 1
- American Red Cross Evacuation Center/Shelter - Groveland Community Hall located at 18720 Highway 120, Groveland, Tuolumne County. Shelter Count as of 07/27/14 at 0530 hours – Unknown

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Utilities

- PG&E Outage Map reports 89 customers in the area are without power as of 0200 hours on 07/27/14.

Road Closures

- Foresta Road and Highway 140
- Crane Creek Rd at Highway 140
- Highway 120 from Crane Flat to Highway 140

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CAL OES ACTIVATIONS

Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought

- The SOC is activated at Level 2 in support of the Drought State of Emergency from 0800-1700 hours daily.
- The Inland REOC is activated at Level 2 from 0800-1700 Monday through Friday or as needed.
- The Southern REOC is activated at Level 1.
- The Santa Barbara County OA EOC is activated at Level 2 to be handled by the duty officer for the purpose of monitoring activities and gaining situational awareness. The operational period is Monday – Friday, 0800-1700 hours.

Situational Summary

On January 17, 2014 Governor Edmund G. Brown proclaimed a State of Emergency and directed state officials to take all necessary actions to prepare for drought conditions. The State Operation Center (SOC) is activated to implement objectives in support of the Governor's priorities. The lack of winter rain and snowfall has resulted in extremely dry conditions in many parts of the State. Reservoir levels are down significantly from where they should be on average for this time of year. If conditions continue severe impacts to municipal water supplies, agriculture (plants and livestock) and firefighting capabilities are likely in store for the State over the next few months. Negative economic impacts will also result.

The drought could result in severe impacts to the municipal water supplies, wells, agriculture (plants and livestock) and firefighting capabilities for several months. The SOC continues to be activated to monitor the situation statewide, and support regional and local operational areas.

- On 7/15/14 the State Water Resources Control Board passed a new emergency regulation to reduce out door urban water use. The regulation makes an exception for health and safety circumstances. Local agencies can ask courts to fine water users up to \$500.00 a day and the SWRCB can fine water agencies up to \$10,000.00 per day. The adopted regulations are expected to go into effect by August 1, 2014 and remain in effect for 270 days.
http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/publications_forms/publications/factsheets/docs/emergregsurban_fs072214.pdf
- Current Reservoir Levels continue to decline. Pine Flat had a 4% decrease from last week. Levels as of July 22: Don Pedro 46%; Exchequer 22%; Folsom Lake 43%; Lake Oroville 37%; Millerton Lake 55%; New Melones 27%; Pine Flat 19%; San Luis 25%; Lake Shasta 36%; Trinity Lake 38%; Pyramid Lake 92%; and Castaic Lake 46%.

Situational Summary

- On July 15, 2014, CDFA in partnership with U.C. Davis Center for Watershed Sciences released a study titled Economic Analysis of the 2014 Drought for California Agriculture. The study indicates the drought in California is the third most severe on record and is responsible for the greatest water loss ever seen for the state's agriculture, and river water for Central Valley farms has been reduced by roughly one-third, according. Direct costs to agriculture total about \$1.5 billion (which include revenue losses of \$1 billion and \$0.5 billion in additional pumping costs). This net revenue loss is about 3% of the state's total agricultural value
- Save our Water. Find easy tips both [indoors](#) and [outdoors](#) and start saving water every day. Tour the California Urban Water Conservation Council's interactive [H2ouse](#) to learn more ways to save water indoors and outdoors! <http://www.saveourh2o.org/tips>
- The 2014 Governor Drought Task Force continues to meet regularly to take actions that conserve water and coordinate state response to the drought.
- Cal OES continues to gather drought-related costs from state agencies and local governments.

Drought Declarations/Resolutions/Proclamations:

County Declarations/Resolutions/Proclamations:

Declarations/Resolutions/Proclamations			
Inland Region			
County	Date Signed	Request	Reaffirmation Received
Glenn	1/30/2014; 4/16/2014	State and Federal relief	3/10/2014
Kern	1/14/2014	Gubernatorial and Presidential	6/27/2014
Kings	1/14/2014	State and Federal assistance	7/14/2014
Madera	1/28/2014	No specific request	7/21/2014
Mariposa	5/13/2014	State and Federal assistance	7/8/2014
Merced	3/6/2014	No specific request	6/27/2014
Modoc	3/5/2014	No specific request	5/27/2014
San Joaquin	1/28/2014	No specific request	5/21/2014
Shasta	5/15/2014	No specific request	6/23/2014
Siskiyou	3/11/2014	Gubernatorial and Presidential	6/17/2014
Sutter	2/11/2014	Gubernatorial and Presidential	6/2/2014
Tulare	2/4/2014	CDAA and Federal assistance	7/15/2014
Tuolumne	2/4/2014	CDAA and Federal assistance	7/18/2014
Yuba	2/18/2014	Gubernatorial and Presidential	7/14/2014
Coastal Region			
County	Date Signed	Request	Reaffirmation Received
Humboldt	7/1/2014	No specific request	
Lake	3/6/2014	CDAA and Federal assistance	
Mendocino	1/7/2014	No specific request	
Sonoma	2/25/2014	CDAA and Federal assistance	
Southern Region			
County	Date Signed	Request	Reaffirmation Received
Inyo	1/28/2014	CDAA	
Santa Barbara	1/17/2014; 5/23/2014	No Specific request; CDAA	
San Luis Obispo	3/11/2014	CDAA and Federal assistance	



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City / Tribe / Special District Declarations/Resolutions/Proclamations:

Declarations/Resolutions/Proclamations		
City/Tribe/Special District		Request
Inland Region		
City of Live Oak, Sutter	5/12/2014	Declare Local Emergency State/Fed assistance
Placer County Water Agency Placer	2/6/2014	Local conservation and funding measures
Twain Harte Community Services Dist Tuolumne	1/29/2014	Enact District conservation measures
Tule River Tribe Tulare	1/30/2014	Enact Tribal emergency authorities
Lake Don Pedro CSD, Mariposa, Tuolumne	2/18/2014	Declare a Stage I Water Emergency
Lodi City, San Joaquin County	7/1/2014	Declare Local Emergency State/Fed assistance
Karuk Tribe Siskiyou, Humboldt	2/18/2014	Enact Tribal emergency authorities
Montague City, Siskiyou	4/14/2014	
Mountain House CSD, San Joaquin County	7/1/2014	Declaring Stage 1 Mandatory Water Conservation
Mariposa Public Utility District	2/4/2014	Enact District conservation measures
Nevada Irrigation District	5/13/2014	Adopting Stage II Drought Contingency Plan
Ripon City, San Joaquin County	7/1/2014	Mandatory Water Conservation
Tuolumne Utilities District	2/13/2014	Declare a Stage III Water Emergency
Yocha Dehe Wintun Nation, Yolo	3/25/2014	Enact Tribal emergency authorities
Cortina Rancheria Kletsel Dehe Band of Wintun Indians, Colusa County	7/7/2014	Declared drought emergency / instituting conservation measures.



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City/Tribe/Special District		Request
Coastal Region		
Hoop Valley Tribe Humboldt	1/20/2014	Enact Tribal emergency authorities
Yurok Tribe Del Norte, Humboldt	1/29/2014	Enact Tribal emergency authorities
City of Willits Mendocino	1/7/2014	Declare a Phase V Water Emergency
Brooktrails Township Community Svcs Dist, Mendocino	1/7/2014	
City of Calistoga Napa	2/4/2014	Declare a Stage II Water Emergency
City of St. Helena Napa	1/28/2014	Declare a Stage II Water Emergency
City of American Canyon Napa	2/4/2014	Declare a Stage I Water Emergency
City of Rio Dell, Humboldt	7/17/2014	Declare a Stage III Water Shortage Emergency
City of San Juan Bautista	5/15/2014	Declare a Water Shortage Emergency
Sherwood Valley Pomo Indian Tribe, Mendocino	3/21/2014	Enact Tribal emergency authorities
Southern Region		
Carpinteria Valley Water District	2/12/2014	Declare a Stage I Water Emergency
Meiners Oaks Water District	3/4/2014	Declare a Stage II Water Emergency
Montecito Water District, Santa Barbara	2/11/2014	Declare a Water Emergency w/Conserv. measures
Goleta Water District	3/25/2014	Declare a Stage I Water Emergency
City of Santa Barbara	5/21/2014	Declare Stage II Water Emergency



County Drought Task Force Meetings

Information as of 7/25/14

County Drought Task Force Upcoming Meetings		
Inland Region		
County	Previous Meetings	Upcoming Meetings
Butte	5/19/2014	11/1/2014
Kern	5/15/2014	TBD
Kings	7/18/2014	8/27/2014
Madera	6/18/2014	7/29/2014
Merced	7/10/2014	8/14/2014
Modoc	2/12/2014	TBD
Nevada	7/16/2014	TBD
Placer	3/12/2014	TBD
Plumas	7/7/2014	8/4/2014
Sacramento	reschedule	7/31/2014
San Joaquin	7/16/2014	8/13/2014
Siskiyou	5/22/2014	TBD
Stanislaus	6/19/2014	8/7/2014
Sutter	7/10/2014	8/14/2014
Tehama	5/19/2014	TBD
Tulare	7/14/2014	TBD
Tuolumne	7/17/2014	8/21/2014
Yolo	7/3/2014	8/7/2014
Coastal Region		
Hoop Valley Tribe	6/18/2014	TBD
Lake	7/17/2014	8/7/2014
Mendocino	7/17/2014	7/31/2014
Monterey	5/29/2014	7/30/2014
Napa	5/28/2014	TBD
San Mateo	7/17/2014	TBD
Southern Region		
Orange	6/25/2014	TBD
San Luis Obispo	7/24/2014	8/20/2014
Santa Barbara	7/23/2014	8/20/2014



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CAL OES MISSIONS

Ongoing Cal OES Missions

- **2014-LAW-4100**, The CNG 95th CST to provide Chemical, biological, radiological and nuclear defense (CBRN) detection/monitoring for the opening event (an MLS game) at the new Levi Stadium in Santa Clara on 8/2.
- **2014-LAW-3978**, 7/23/14 - Mission Re-opened - The San Bernardino County Sheriff's Department (SBSD) requested Law Enforcement (LE) dive team mutual aid resources to assist in the search for human remains as part of an active, ongoing homicide investigation. The Riverside County Sheriff Office (RCSO) accepted the mission and will assist searching several undisclosed bodies of water on Saturday and Sunday, 7/26 – 7/27.
- **2014-LAW-2798**, El Dorado County is planning an in-county SAR exercise on 07/25 and 7/26 for their volunteers and have requested the assistance of the California National Guard (CNG) aviation assets to support the exercise. Elements of the exercise will include an orientation to the various CNG air assets (H72, H60 and CH47), hoist training, patient packaging for air evacuation and ground team insertion and extraction training.
- **2014-LAW-2483**, The 95th CST will provide area monitoring, secure communications, and WMD expertise for the IRL Racing Event at Sonoma Raceway 8/22 – 8/24. They will assist with advanced planning and be pre-positioned prior to the start of the event.
- **2014-LAW-2481**, The 95th CST will provide area monitoring, secure communications, and WMD expertise for the NHRA Racing Event at Sonoma Raceway 7/25 – 7/26. They will assist with advanced planning and be pre-positioned prior to the start of the event.

Cal OES Telecommunications Resources Deployed

San Luis Obispo County SO deploying Mobile Interoperability Gateway Unit -1(MIGU-1) for the County Fair which runs from July 16 thru the 27th to provide internet access and one phone line. In county deployment with no Cal OES personnel.





Mission:

We protect lives and property, build capabilities, and support our communities for a resilient California.

We achieve our mission by serving the public through effective collaboration in preparing for, protecting against, responding to, recovering from, and mitigating the impacts of all hazards and threats.